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> RE: **Motion for Extension of Time** MM Docket No. 90-189

Dear Ms. Salas:

Nevada County Broadcasters, Inc., through counsel, hereby files an original and four copies of a Motion for Extension of Time re: Reply to Opposition to Application for Review in the above-referenced matter.

If you have any questions or need additional information, please contact the undersigned.

Very Truly Yours,

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To: The Commission

MOTION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME REPLY TO OPPOSITION TO APPLICATION FOR REVIEW

- 1. Nevada County Broadcasters, Inc. ("Nevada County"), through counsel, hereby files a Motion for Extension of Time to respond to the Opposition to Application for Review ¹ filed by Gold Country Communications, Inc. in the above referenced matter.
- 2. On September 12, 1995, the Allocations Branch released an Order allocating Channel 232A to Farmington, California, and upgrading Nevada County's station to a B1. The Chief of the Allocations Branch reversed that decision on November 5, 1999. On December 6, 1999, Nevada County filed an Application for Review of that decision. Gold Country filed an Opposition to Nevada County's Application for Review on January 7, 2000. Under the Commission's rules, a reply to an Opposition to an Application for Review is due within 10 days

The pleading is an Opposition to Application for Review that was erroneously titled a Reply to Application for Review. See §1.115 (d).

of the Opposition's filing.² Therefore, the deadline for filing the Reply to the Opposition to Application for Review is January 20, 2000.

- 3. Because the Opposition to the Application for Review includes a substantial engineering exhibit and extensive technical arguments, Nevada County requires the assistance of its engineering consultant familiar with this matter to help prepare a response. However, Nevada County's consulting engineer is currently unable to devote the time necessary to a thorough review of the Opposition due to prior commitments to other broadcasters with earlier deadlines.
- 4. As a result, Nevada County respectfully requests that it be granted until January 29, 2000, to file a response to the Opposition to Application for Review. The additional time will allow Nevada County's consulting engineer to review the engineering exhibit and prepare an accurate and complete response.
- 5. Gold Country has consented to this request for extension. Commission staff responsible for acting on the Motion for Extension of Time have been verbally notified that it is being filed.

Respectfully submitted,

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With an additional three days permitted for mailing.

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I, Kelly Davis, a secretary with the law firm of Fletcher, Heald and Hildreth, P.L.C., do hereby certify that true copies of the foregoing Motion for Extension of Time re: Reply to Opposition to Application for Review was sent this 19th day of January, 2000, by first-class mail, postage prepaid, to the following:

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